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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: GRANT MAP FOR THE PHILIPPINES

1. WE FACE AN EXTREMELY SERIOUS PROBLEM WITH RESPECT TO GRANT MAP FOR THE PHILIPPINES. ON THE ONE HAND, THE VICE PRESIDENT HAS TOLD MARCOS THAT WE WILL FIGHT TO SAVE THE FIVE MILLION DOLLAR CUT MADE BY THE HIRC. ON THE OTHER HAND, SOME MEMBERS OF THE HIRC REPORTEDLY THINK THAT THE DEPARTMENT CAN LIVE WITH THIS CUT. GLENN IS PROPOSING A PARALLEL AMENDMENT FOR THE SFRC MARK UP ON MAY 11 REDUCING PHILIPPINE GRANT MAP BY FIVE MILLION BECAUSE OF HUMAN RIGHTS PROBLEMS.

2. IT SEEMS TO ME THAT AT A BARE MINIMUM THE VICE
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PRESIDENT WILL NEED TO COMMUNICATE URGENTLY TO KEY MEMBERS OF THE SFRC (PARTICULARLY GLENN, CHURCH AND KENNEDY) HIS VIEWS ON WHY THERE SHOULD BE NO CUT IN GRANT MAP THIS YEAR. THESE VIEWS SHOULD INCLUDE WHAT WE EXPECT TO EMERGE ON THE HUMAN RIGHTS FRONT AS A RESULT OF THE VICE PRESIDENT'S VISIT AS WELL AS A BRIEF REFERENCE TO SECURITY ARGUMENTS. (THE LATTER ARE ALREADY

WELL KNOWN THANKS TO YOUR EXCELLENT WORK WITH THE SFRC).
IN ADDITION, WE SHOULD CONSIDER TALKING RIGHT AWAY TO KEY
MEMBERS OF THE HIRC, TELLING THEM OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S

POSITION.

3. YOU MIGHT WANT TO CONSIDER HAVING THE VICE PRESIDENT
EITHER SEND MESSAGES TELEGRAPHICALLY OR TELEPHONE DIRECTLY
TO KEY MEMBERS OF THE SFRC AS WELL AS AUTHORIZING THE
DEPARTMENT TO MAKE A PITCH IN HIS NAME OR THAT OF THE
ADMINISTRATION. TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE SINCE THE SFRC
MARK UP ON MAY 11 WILL BE DECISIVE IN THAT A CUT THERE
WILL MAKE IT ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE TO RESTORE ANYTHING IN
CONFERENCE. VANCE

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